

Mission

To protect and serve through community involvement, education, prevention, and rapid intervention by professionals committed to excellence.

Vision

Gainesville Fire Rescue will be recognized as the model of excellence by the provision of our services.

Values

Members of Gainesville Fire Rescue will be **Responsible, Accountable, Professional, Innovative, and Dedicated** to excellent service for the community and each other.

Budget

FY19 Adopted

(excluding Capital Improvement and Fleet Replacement Plan Funding)

Office of the Fire Chief	\$ 820,725
Emergency Management	\$ 137,567
Emergency Operations*	\$16,719,293
Risk Reduction Bureau	\$ 140,571
Fire Inspections	\$ 304,982
Public Education	\$ 88,927
Investigative Services	\$ 149,494
Support Services Bureau	\$ 507,522
Information Technology	\$ 212,510

Total **\$19,081,591**

*The GACRAA provides approximately \$490,000 annually to support Fire Rescue Services at the Airport.

Stations and Apparatus

- 8 Stations with Advanced Life Support
- 1 Airport ST / Basic Life Support
- 6 Engines
- 2 Towers
- 2 Quints
- 2 Airport Firefighting Units
- 1 Hazmat Response Unit at ST 2
- 1 Squad Unit
- 2 District Chief SUV's
- 1 Air and Light Truck at ST 6
- 2 Backup Engines, 1 Backup Quint, 1 Backup Squad/District Chief's SUV

Fire Station Construction and Approximate Size

Fire Station # 1	525 South Main Street	2018	22,260
Fire Station # 2	2210 SW Archer Road	1976	8,000
Fire Station # 3	900 NE Waldo Road	1960/95	5,700
Fire Station # 4	10 SW 36th Street	1964	3,700
Fire Station # 5	1244 NW 30th Avenue	1965	3,800
Fire Station # 6	3681 NE 47th Avenue	1979	5,900
Fire Station # 7	5601 NW 43rd Street	1981	2,600
Fire Station # 8	3223 NW 42nd Avenue	2011	10,200
Fire Station # 9	4213 SW 30th Avenue	2017	Modular

Personnel FY19 (17 FF to be added Feb. SAFER Grant)

- 180/197 Total Budgeted FTE's
- 76/93 Firefighters *Salary Range for FF \$41,000 - \$58,230*
- 39 Driver Operators *Salary Range for DO \$45,891 - \$65,211*
- 36 Lieutenants *Salary Range for LT \$52,774 - \$74,993*
- 6 District Chiefs *Salary Range for DC \$68,383 - \$101,789*
- 1 Chief *Salary Range for Capt. \$55,413 - \$78,742*
- 1 Deputy Chief *Salary Range for Inspector \$52,774 - \$74,993*
- 2 Assistant Chiefs
- 1 Training District Chief
- 1 District Chief – Emergency Mgmt
- 3 Training Captains
- 1 Investigative Services Officer
- 3 Fire Safety Inspectors
- 1 Fire and Life Safety Educator
- 1 Technical Systems Analyst, Sr.
- 1 Technical Systems Analyst II
- 1 Logistics Officer
- 1 CRP Coordinator
- 1 Administrative Asst. to Fire Chief
- 1 Account Clerk, Sr.
- 1 Executive Assistant, Sr.
- 1 Staff Specialist
- 1 Staff Assistant

Approved for advance hire of six firefighters in FY19 to help support Inspections and prepare for known retirements

Sworn Demographics Dec 2018 Including Chief Officers

Male	Female	White	African-American	Hispanic	Other Minority
94%	6%	73%	13%	8%	6%

Calls for Service/Responses and Risk Reduction Efforts

Operations Calls for Service:	2016	2017	2018
Total Calls Responded to by GFR Units	21,060	21,089	
Medical Calls	16,913	15,509*	
Alarms	1,742	1,780	
Fire Calls (any type)	1,365	3,189	
Hazardous Materials Calls	750	330	
Service or Other Calls	290	281	
All Unit Responses Fire vs. Non-Fire Types (EMS, ALM, HZ, Svc)	2,971 / 21,369	5,736 / 20,783	
Buildings Inspected	2585	3533	
Square Feet Inspected	25,788,670	23,979,468	
Investigations	81	68	
Plans Reviews	203	206	
Public Education Events	236	259	
Citizens Reached	20,304	27,328	
(percentage of city population)	15.6%	21%	

*In Dec 2016 the Dispatch Center adopted the Emergency Fire Dispatch system (EFD) which moved vehicle crashes and some Hazmat calls from EMS/Haz types to Fire Type.

Population and Service Area

2017 CAFR Population reported as 129,816. Primary Service Area – City Limits is approximately 64 sq miles includes UF campus at approximately 3 sq miles.